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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Examiner : Phuong T. Bui  
Group Art Unit : 1638  
Applicants : B. Muller-Rober et al.  
Application No. : 08/702,718  
Confirmation No. : 7038  
Filed : March 19, 1997  
For : PROCESSES FOR INHIBITING AND FOR INDUCING  
FLOWER FORMATION IN PLANTS

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Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)  
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to respond to the Examiner's Action dated October 9, 2001.

With the extension, a response is due on or before April 9, 2002. A check in the amount of \$890.00, in payment of the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3), is enclosed herewith.

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The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due,  
or to credit overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of  
this Petition is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,



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